

## LOCATIONS:

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, ZEELAND:

The walk will begin at  
First Baptist Church, Zeeland,  
on Saturday, June 19 at 9:00AM.  
(registration and pledge drop-off: 8:30 AM)

### GRACE CHAPEL, ZEELAND:

Grace Chapel Life Team is sponsoring  
a combined LifeWalk fundraising walk to  
benefit Lakeshore Pregnancy Center.  
The walk will begin at  
First Baptist Church, Zeeland,  
on Saturday, June 19 at 9:00AM.  
(registration and pledge drop-off: 8:30 AM)

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ALLEGAN:

The walk will begin at  
First Baptist Church, Allegan,  
on Saturday, June 19 at 9:00 AM.

### FIRST CRC IN ALLENDALE:

Carol Gulker is the church point person.  
5734 Country View Dr. Allendale MI 49401  
Walk begins at 9:00 AM Saturday  
19th - behind the church



Walk4Life is a fundraising opportunity that allows you to partner with our Positive Options centers in Allegan, Allendale, Grand Haven and Holland, to serve women facing unplanned pregnancies. Proceeds from this event enable our centers to provide free services and support to over 600 clients per year who need to hear that God loves them, their babies, their family and has a plan, purpose, and destiny for their lives.

Positive Options serves our community by building a vibrant community where every life is valued, loved, protected and transformed because of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

We love people to life before during and after  
a pregnancy decision.

visit our website for more information:  
[www.lpcenters.com](http://www.lpcenters.com)



# PRAYER GUIDE

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THREE PRAYER STOPS FOR WALK4LIFE



## INSTRUCTIONS:

There are 3 prayer stops along the walk. Please stop at and read through each. Prayerfully read the scripture assigned to each stop as well as, the “walk and talk” idea. A suggested prayer has been given, but please pray as you are led.

## PRAYER STOP 1

# WHY CONVICTION?



Angelenia (a former Positive Options client) shared in her story that when she first found out she was pregnant, she was in her final year of high school. Raised with a high value on personal responsibility - for her, the choice was obvious. Her mother’s words planted conviction within her, *“If you’re old enough to have sex - you’re old enough to take care of a baby.”* Every life is made in the image of God. Every human life regardless of age, color, abilities or disabilities is created by God and deserves to be protected under the law and in our hearts. This conviction is what motivates us in the life movement. We are involved in a Kingdom movement.

**PRAYER:** *God, convict hearts to stand for life. Thank you for your Word which provides a firm foundation for the sanctity of human life. Thank you for creating human beings with such care and love.*

*Our world doesn’t know you. Our world sometimes acts as though people are disposable. Forgive us when we fail to share your truth.*

*You command us to stand firm against the schemes of our enemy the devil – who seeks to kill and destroy. Thank you for protecting and equipping us for this work.*

**WALK AND TALK:** What word comes to mind when you think of “standing firm” or “overcoming”? Have you ever stood firm in a time of testing?

## PRAYER STOP 2

# WHY COMPASSION?

Compassion alludes to kindness and sympathy, but there is something deeper, something even more profoundly powerful, in its meaning.

The origin of the word helps us grasp the true breadth and significance of compassion. In Latin, ‘compati’ means “suffer with.” Compassion means someone else’s heartbreak becomes your heartbreak. Another’s suffering becomes your suffering. True compassion changes the way we live.



**PRAYER:** *God –fill hearts with compassion for men and women who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy, and for the unborn whose lives are at stake. Teach us to love without judgement and to offer hope without shame Help us to receive the grace and forgiveness from you for ourselves first. – Let us be a witness and share our story so that others can see YOU at work in our lives. May the compassion you give us show others your love and forgiveness that is available to all. Enable us to become people who love as you love.*

**WALK AND TALK:** Share a story with a fellow walker of a time that you were in need of God’s compassion.

## PRAYER STOP 3

# WHY COURAGE?

In the Bible, courage is also called “good cheer” as in Mark 6:50 when Jesus gave the command to the disciples who saw Him walking on the water of the Sea of Galilee and coming toward them. The Greek word translated “courage” and “good cheer” means literally “boldness and confidence.” Courage is the opposite of fear. When God tells us to fear not, to be of good cheer, and to have courage, He asks us to put our trust and faith in Him. In nearly every incident where God says “fear not,” there follows a reason to have courage, and that reason is God Himself is with us.



**PRAYER:** *God, fill hearts with courage to love even when it requires sacrifice. May we trust that you are with us and that your love will provide what we need, when we need it. We confess that sometimes we are afraid of the consequences of being different from the world. Fill us with the courage to know that nothing and no one can separate us from your love.*

**WALK AND TALK:** Who do you consider to be brave? Was there ever a time when you had to act courageously?